

**State of California, State Water Resources Control Board**

**Division of Water Rights**

**P.O. Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000**

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**2005, 2006, 2007**

**SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE FORM**

**Owner(s) of Record:**

GEORGE R CHAFFIN

Notifying the Division of Water Rights of ownership or address changes is the responsibility of the claimant

Please Complete and Return This Form by JULY 1, 2008

**Primary Contact:**

GEORGE R CHAFFIN  
606 COAL CANYON RD  
OROVILLE, CA 95965

Agent:

Address:

Phone No.

Fax No.

E-mail Address:

Phone No. 530-533-8239

Fax No.

E-mail Address:

Source Name: COAL CANYON CREEK

Tributary To:

County: Butte

Diversion within: NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Section 12, T 20 N, R 3 E, MDB&M

Agent: Kurt Albrecht

Address: 606 Coal Canyon Rd

Phone No. 530-533-1676

Fax No.

E-mail Address: chaffinorchards@comcast.net

Year of First Use: 1932

Name of Diversion works:

Assessor Parcel Number  
of the Diversion site:

A. **Water is Used Under:** Riparian claim ☒ Pre-1914 claim ☐ Court Decree No.:  Other (explain):

B. **Year of First Use:** (Please provide if missing in the Division of Rights database (ewrims))

C. **Rate of Diversion:** The rate of diversion of water for each month used and entered in the table below is shown in units of:  
Gallons per minute (gpm)  Gallons per day (gpd)  Cubic feet per second (cfs)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average Rate
2005	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
2006	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
2007	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

D. **Quantity of Water Used:** The quantity of water used each month and entered in the table below is shown in units of:  
Gallons  Million Gallons (MG)  Acre-feet (AF)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total Annual
2005													
2006													
2007													

E. **Purpose of Use** – Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.

Irrigation Yes acres; Stockwatering Yes; Domestic   
Other (specify)

Parcel Number(s) of Place of Use:

F. **Changes in Method of Diversion** – Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed.  
(New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)

G. Please answer only those questions below which are applicable to your project.

1. Conservation of water

a. Are you now employing water conservation efforts? YES ☐ NO ☒  
Describe any water conservation efforts you have initiated:

b. If you are claiming credit for water conservation under section 1011 of the Water Code for your claimed pre-1914 appropriative right, please show the amount of water conserved:

Reduction in Diversions:  
Year  (AF/MG) Year  (AF/MG) Year  (AF/MG)

EWRI/MS/cm  
7/14/09

Reduction in consumptive use:

Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

I have data to support the above surface water use reductions due to conservation efforts. YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

2. Water quality and wastewater reclamation

- a. Are you now or have you been using reclaimed water from a wastewater treatment facility, desalination facility or water polluted by waste to a degree which unreasonably affects such water for other beneficial uses? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO ~~NO~~
- b. If you are claiming credit due to the substitution of reclaimed water, desalinated water or polluted water in lieu of a claimed pre-1914 appropriative right under section 1010 of the Water Code, please show amounts of reduced diversions and amounts of substitute water supply used:

Amount of reduced diversion:

Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

State the type of substitute water supply: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of substitute water supply used:

Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

I have data to support the above surface water use reductions due to the use of a substitute water supply. YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

3. Conjunctive use of surface water and groundwater

- a. Are you now using groundwater in lieu of surface water? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO ~~NO~~
- b. If you are claiming credit due to the substitution of groundwater for a claimed pre-1914 appropriative right under section 1011.5 of the Water Code, please show the amounts of groundwater used:
- Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)
- I have data to support the above surface water use reductions due to the use of groundwater. YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that it may be necessary to document the water savings claimed in "F" above if credit under Water Code sections 1010 and 1011 is sought in the future.

I declare that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATE: 6/30/ 2008 at Oroville, California

SIGNATURE: [Signature]

PRINTED NAME: Kurt F Albrecht  
(first name) (middle initial) (last name)

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

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GENERAL INFORMATION PERTAINING TO WATER RIGHTS IN CALIFORNIA

There are two principal types of surface water rights in California. They are riparian and appropriative rights.

A riparian right enables an owner of land bordering a natural lake or stream to take and use water on his riparian land. Riparian land must be in the same watershed as the water source and must never have been severed from the sources of supply by an intervening parcel without reservation of the riparian right to the severed parcel. Generally, a riparian water user must share the water supply with other riparian users. Riparian rights may be used to divert the natural flow of a stream but may not be used to store water for later use or to divert water which originates in a different watershed, water previously stored by others, return flows from use of groundwater, or other "foreign" water to the natural stream system.

An appropriative right is required for use of water on non-riparian land and for storage of water. Generally, appropriative rights may be exercised only when there is a surplus not needed by riparian water users. After the formation of the California Water Commission back on December 19, 1914, new appropriators have been required to obtain a permit and license from the State. Appropriative rights can be granted to waters "foreign" to the natural stream system.

Statements of Water Diversion and Use must be filed by riparian and pre-1914 appropriative water users as set forth in Water Code section 5100 with specific exceptions. The filing of a statement (1) provides a record of water use, (2) enables the State to notify such users if someone proposes a new appropriation upstream from their diversions, and (3) assists the State to determine if additional water is available for future appropriators.

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STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS  
P.O. BOX 2000, SACRAMENTO, CA 95812-2000  
(916) 657-2170

**SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE**

If the information below is inaccurate, please line it out in red and provide current information.  
Notify this office if ownership or address changes occur during the coming year.

**PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM BY JULY 1, 1999**

**OWNER OF RECORD:** GEORGE R CHAFFIN

GEORGE R CHAFFIN  
546 COAL CANYON RD  
OROVILLE, CA 95965

**STATEMENT NO:** S000050

**SOURCE:** COAL CANYON CREEK  
**TRIBUTARY TO:** GOLD RUN CREEK  
**COUNTY:** BUTTE  
**DIVERSION**

**WITHIN:** NW¼ OF SW¼ SECTION 12, T20N, R3E, MB&M.

**TELEPHONE NUMBER:**  
(916) 533-8239  
**YEAR OF FIRST USE:** 1932  
**PARCEL NO:**

- A. Water is used under: Riparian claim X Pre 1914 right \_\_\_\_\_ Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Year of first use (Please provide if missing above) \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Amount of Use - Enter the amount of water used each month. If monthly and annual use are not known, check the months in which water was used.

Amounts below are: Gallons \_\_\_\_\_ Acre-feet \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total Annual
1996					X	X	X	X	X	X			
1997					X	X	X	X	X	X			
1998					X	X	X	X	X	X			

- D. Purpose of Use - Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.

Irrigation 20 ± acres; Stockwatering Yes; Domestic \_\_\_\_\_;

Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

- E. Changes in Method of Diversion - Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed. (New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)

- F. Please answer only those questions below which are applicable to your project.

1. Conservation of water

- a. Describe any water conservation efforts you may have started: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. If credit toward beneficial use of water under claimed pre 1914 appropriative water right for water not used due to a conservation effort is claimed under section 1011 of the Water Code, please show the amounts of water conserved:
- 19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg) 19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg) 19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg)

2. Water quality and wastewater reclamation

- a. Are you now or have you been using reclaimed water from a wastewater treatment facility, desalination facility or water polluted by waste to a degree which unreasonably affects such water for other beneficial uses? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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- b. If credit toward use under a claimed pre 1914 appropriative water right through substitution of reclaimed water, desalinated water or polluted water in lieu of appropriated water is claimed under section 1010 of the Water Code, please show amounts of reduced diversions and amounts of reclaimed water used:

19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg) 19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg) 19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg)

3. Conjunctive use of surface water and groundwater

- a. Are you now using groundwater in lieu of surface water? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO X

- b. If credit toward use under a claimed pre 1914 appropriative right through substitution of groundwater in lieu of appropriated water is claimed under section 1011.5 of the Water Code, please show the amounts of groundwater used:

19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg) 19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg) 19 \_\_\_\_\_ (af/mg)

I declare that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATE: 3/3/99, 19 \_\_\_\_\_ at Butte, California

SIGNATURE: [Signature]

PRINTED NAME: Kurt F Albred  
(first name) (middle init.) (last name)

COMPANY NAME: Chaffin Orchards

If there is insufficient space for your answers, please use the space provided below.

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DIV. OF WATER RIGHTS  
SACRAMENTO

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OROVILLE, CA 95965

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DIVERSION

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PARCEL NO:

WITHIN: NW¼ OF SW¼ SECTION 12, T20N, R3E, MB&M.

- A. Water is used under: Riparian claim \_\_\_\_\_; Pre 1914 right \_\_\_\_\_; Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Year of first use (Please provide if missing above) \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. Amount of Use - Enter the amount of water used each month. If monthly and annual use are not known, check the months in which water was used.

Amounts below are: ☐ Gallons ☐ Acre-feet ☐ (other) Available water

YEAR	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT	OCT.	NOV.	DEC	TOTAL ANNUAL
1993				X	X	X	X	X					
1994				X	X	X	X	X					
1995				X	X	X	X	X					

- D. Purpose of Use - Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.  
Irrigation 2 acres; Stockwatering \_\_\_\_\_; Domestic \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Changes in Method of Diversion - Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed. (New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- F. If part of the water listed in Part C consists of reclaimed or polluted water, please indicate the annual amounts of reclaimed or polluted water in the space below.  
\_\_\_\_\_

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED: 10 June, 1996, at Oroville Cal, California

SIGNATURE: George R Chaffin

PRINTED NAME: George R CHAFFIN  
(FIRST NAME) (M. NAME) (LAST NAME)

COMPANY NAME: CHAFFIN ORCHARD

See back of page for General Information. If there is insufficient space for your answers, please number them in the space provided on the back of this form.

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- WR 40-1 (4/96)  
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
THE RESOURCES AGENCY  
STATE WATER RIGHTS BOARD

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STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE

This statement should be typewritten or legibly written in ink.

A. Name of person diverting water George Chaffin  
Address Rt 1 Box 151 Oroville

B. Name of body of water at point of diversion Coal Canyon Creek  
Tributary to Gold Run Creek

C. Place of diversion NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 12, Township 20N, Range 3E, MDBM  
Bute County, or locate it on sketch of section grid on reverse side with regard to section lines or prominent local landmarks.

D. Name of works Coal Canyon Ranch Diversion #2

E. Capacity of diversion works 4 cu ft sec.  
Capacity of storage reservoir \_\_\_\_\_  
Gallons that can be stored \_\_\_\_\_  
Gallons per minute \_\_\_\_\_  
Cubic feet per second \_\_\_\_\_

State quantity of water used each month in gallons, or acre-feet

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total Annual

If monthly and annual use are not known, check months in which water was used. State extent of use in units, such as acres of row crop irrigated, average number of persons served, number of stock watered, etc.

Maximum annual water use in recent years \_\_\_\_\_ gallons \_\_\_\_\_ acre-feet  
Minimum annual water use in recent years \_\_\_\_\_ gallons \_\_\_\_\_ acre-feet

Type of diversion facility: gravity ☒ pump \_\_\_\_\_

Method of measurement: weir \_\_\_\_\_, flume \_\_\_\_\_, electric power meter \_\_\_\_\_, water meter \_\_\_\_\_, estimate ☒

Purpose of use (what water is being used for) irrigation & Stock water

G. General description or location of place of use (use sketch of section grid on reverse side if you desire)  
Section 11 T20N R3E MDBM

H. Year of first use as nearly as known 1932

I. Name of person filing statement George Chaffin  
Position Rancher Organization Chaffin C. Ranch  
Address Rt. 1 Box 151 Oroville Cal.

I certify that the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date signed 15 Nov 66

Signature George Chaffin

See Instructions on Reverse Side